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PATENT

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In Re Patent Application of:)
Steven M. Bennett)
Application No.: 10/816,233)
Filed: March 31, 2004)
For: Method And Apparatus For)
Facilitating Recognition Of An Open)
Event Window During Operation Of)
A Guest Software In A Virtual)
Machine Environment)

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REQUEST FOR STATUS

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests the current status for the above-referenced patent application.

The application was filed on March 31, 2004, and to date, Applicant has not received a First Office Action.

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In view of the information presented, Applicant hereby respectfully requests the current status for the above-referenced application.

Applicant believes there is no fee due. If there are costs involved, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,

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